

than nine inches;

- (2) Butterfish less than six inches;
- (3) Catfish less than eight inches;
- (4) Croakers or hardheads less than 10 inches;
- (5) Perch, white or yellow, less than eight inches, if caught other than by hook or line;
- (6) Pike or walleyed pike less than 14 inches;
- (7) Sea trout or weakfish less than nine inches;
- (8) Striped bass, less than 12 inches in length or weighing more than 15 pounds. However, a person may catch one striped bass over 15 pounds per day with hook and line [in the Susquehanna River above Hog Back Shoals and] in the TIDAL waters of the State at any time of the year except from March 1 to [May 27] APRIL 30 inclusive, which may not be sold or offered for sale.
- (9) Sturgeon weighing less than 25 pounds;
- (10) Taylor or blue fish less than eight inches.

Measurement for each fish mentioned above shall be from the tip of the nose to the end of the tail.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety and having been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 9, 1974.

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CHAPTER 230

(House Bill 1003)

AN ACT concerning

Prince George's County - Compensation of  
Judges of Orphans' Court